1 2 3 4 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 5 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA** 6 7 OHAN MANOUKIAN, et al., 8 Plaintiffs, Case No. 2:09-cv-01334-PMP-PAL 9 **ORDER** VS. 10 VITO LONGO, et al., Defendants. 11 12 13 The parties submitted a Stipulation and Proposed Protective Order (Dkt. #48) which the court has reviewed and approved with the exception of Paragraph 6. In summary, the parties propose in 14 15 Paragraph 6 that confidential information incorporated in briefs, pleadings or other filings with the 16 court be placed in sealed envelopes or sealed containers. However, when the court adopted the case management, electronic case filing system ("CM/ECF"), the Local Rules were amended to provide that 17 18 the electronic record is the only official record of the court. With limited exceptions which do not apply 19 paper files are no longer maintained by the Clerk's Office. Submitting paper files to the Clerk of the 20 Court will not preserve the record. 21 Accordingly, the parties are directed to comply with the court's CM/ECF filing procedures 22 regarding filing sealed materials. Additionally, the parties are reminded that, in the Ninth Circuit, there 23 is a presumption of public access to judicial files and records, and any materials submitted under 24 /// 25 /// 26 /// 27 /// 28 ///

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seal should comply with the Ninth Circuit's direction in Kamakana v. City and County of Honolulu, 447 F.3d 1172 (9th Cir. 2006). IT IS SO ORDERED. Dated this 21st day of December, 2010. United States Magistrate Judge